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     and a human cytomegalovirus minimal promoter fused to a tet operator
     sequence was used for conditional immortalization of adult rat
     neuronal progenitor cells. A single clone, HC2S2, was isolated and characterized. Two days after the addition of
     tetracycline, the HC2S2 cells stopped proliferating, began to
     extend neurites, and expressed the neuronal markers
     tau, NeuN, neurofilament 200 kDa, and glutamic acid
     decarboxylase in accordance with the reduced production of the \boldsymbol{v}
     -myc oncoprotein. Differentiated HC2S2 cells expressed large
     sodium and calcium currents and could fire regenerative action potentials.
     These results suggest that the suppression of the v-myc
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     readily renewable source of human neurons. We isolated clonal
     human CNS cell lines that had been immortalized with a
     tetracycline (Tc)-responsive v-myc oncogene;
     addition of Tc to the growth medium suppressed the oncoprotein rapidly and
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a default differentiation pathway of **neurons** only, and the second class had a default differentiation pathway of **neurons** and astrocytes. We found that after exposure to different external signals in vitro, the environment is capable of redirecting the fate of a particular cell, even in the case of the bipotent precursor cell whose default differentiation pathway was **neurons** only. These data suggest that extrinsic cues can prevail over intrinsic determinants in directing cell fate in the human CNS.

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     research and drug discovery. To create such cell lines, we
     immortalized NCAM(+)/neurofilament(+) precursors from
     human embryonic spinal cord with a tetracycline repressible
     v-myc oncogene. Clonal NCAM(+)/neurofilament
     (+) cell lines differentiated exclusively into neurons within 1
     week. These neurons displayed extensive processes, exhibited immunoreactivity for mature neuron-specific markers such as tau
     and synaptophysin, and fired action potentials upon current injection.
     Moreover, a clonal precursor cell line gave rise to multiple types of
     spinal cord neurons, including ChAT(+)/Lhx3(+)/Lhx4(+)
     motoneurons and GABA(+) interneurons. These neuronal restricted
     precursor cell lines will expedite the elucidation of molecular mechanisms
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     Our previous studies have shown that primary mesencephalic glia secrete
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     vitro. To obtain enough starting material to identify the
     neurotrophic activity, embryonic day (E)14.5 rat mesencephalic
     glia were stimulated with acidic fibroblast growth factor to increase
     number of cells. These cells were replated ar{i}n the absence of
     neurons and immortalized by transfection with the SV 40
     large T-antigen. Clonal cell lines were established and characterized for
     immunoreactivity (IR) to various glial and non-glial markers. Media
     conditioned by these cell lines were tested for survival-promoting effects
     on dopaminergic neurons in serum-free cultures of the
     dissociated E14.5 rat mesencephalon. All cell lines expressed
     IR for the astrocytic marker, GFAP, the oligodendroglial marker, CNP, and
     for A2B5, a marker for O-2A progenitor cells, but were negative for the
     neuronal marker, microtubule associated protein-2, and the
     fibroblast marker, fibronectin. Moreover, treatment of serum-free
     cultures of the dissociated E14.5 mesencephalon with glial cell
     line-CM conditioned medium (CM) delayed dopaminergic cell death in a
     dose-dependent manner, resulting in a maximal twofold to sixfold increase
      in the number of surviving tyrosine hydroxylase-IR neurons at
     various days in vitro. This increase in dopaminergic cell survival was
     not mimicked by GDNF, BDNF or NT-3 within the initial 3 days of
      cultivation. Moreover, initial biochemical characterization demonstrated
      that the neurotrophic activity is restricted to the high MW
      fraction of >50 k\bar{D} of glial cell line-CM. Since the apparent MW of this
      factor exceeds the size of most known growth factors, it may represent a
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